

Quigley, Idaho
Nov. 9, 1944.

Dearest Hazel Dawn,

This is your Birthday and I have been thinking of you all day and wondering what you were doing. I hope you have had a happy day. Your sweet letter came to night - yours and many Edas, They made me very happy. We have

Friday morning
been celebrating to day and wish you both could have been here. We had - would

Clarence, Gloria, Connie & Estrell for supper and Helen sure got a swell meal - individual meat pies, candied

sweet potatoes, Lyonnaise carrots, hot roll and butter pickles. a swell salad, fine we had a cocktail. Then she had lovely

surprise cakes - She will have to tell you all about it - The table looked so pretty our sweet potato plant for the center piece four large blue candles

They all enjoyed it very much after-ward we played gin-rummy and rook. Had a lovely fire in the fireplace

I was written this bit at a time started before the folks came.

and it was one o'clock when they were
home. It was a cold night and we
seemed good in here. and we were here
After they left Helen put the house in order
we piled the dishes up and left them
so they are to be done this morning.
I am glad the things we sent got there ok and
that you liked every thing
I am glad you were the one they chose
for the picture and I hope it will be
good and you can send a "half a dog".
or "maby a car load" will be waiting.
I think it is swell for you girls to be
together and go to work together etc.
I hope you really enjoy each other very much
uncle Jim went to Nampa on the train.
Alfred may fly up. would like to be there.
Yes, the book you & Grandma sent came
in first class shape and I gave it to ^{my} Mabel.
I wrote you about it - I am sure - I was
glad you got it. and we will make it up
to you. And the twenty the High School owed
Mama I da come and I let Dad see
it - and we will put it back for her.
well I must get busy now about the thing
of yours we sent; and what now do you
want; be sure and let me know. Still
wishing I could go to see you. Hope you
had a happy Birthday. I will try and
write again soon. Love mother.

Pine Springs Farms

Dingle, Idaho

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Nov 10, 1944

Dear Mother

We are remembering that tomorrow
is your wedding anniversary and wish
you to know that we are thinking
of you and wishing you a happy day.
We would like to be there to celebrate
with you but are glad that the
girls are there. May be they can
show you some of the knuders and
good wish we could express if we
were there.

Hope that you are all well.
Hope that Ida continues to improve until
she is as good as ever.

We have been having stormy weather
here lately and I have not finished at
the ranch yet. Just one more day there
if it dries up enough.

I have had a bad cold the last
two days but think I am getting my
countdown now. (over) Love to you all
Wichigo

Pine Springs Farms

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Dear Mother Pearl -

We are thinking of you and want to send our very best wishes for tomorrow and every day.

It does not seem so long since we were there to celebrate the fiftieth anniversary - I remember the good times we had together and the lovely dinner we had at Idas. That was my first visit in California and it was a very pleasant one the weather was lovely. We had a fine trip and such fun with you Dad and the rest.

There seems to be no encouraging news from the P. I. and I hope we can soon hear from Beulah and the rest. I hope we can get to Milton before it gets too stormy and the trip down. I am sure glad Ida is able to be out I would like to see you all, but guess we can not make it this time. Hope to see you next summer write when you can. Love Marnie

Drigh, Idaho.
November 10, 1944

Dearest Mary Edg -

Thanks for your sweet letter. I read yours and Hazel Dawn's letter to Dad. He does not feel very well - has a very bad cold. was in bed most all day yesterday. It came on sudden - Helen gave him hot water + pink pills lemonade and grapefruit juice we wanted him to be able to enjoy the dinner and party. well he took a hot bath and felt better. He is up this morning but has not been out yet. It is eleven and Helen has not been down stairs. I got ready off for school, and will get busy and do the dishes. There was a beautiful red sun rise. But it is cloudy now. I really want to wash, but hate to. I am glad the cake traveled to you in such a perfect condition and that you liked the things. I sure wish we could to Long Beach to see you but I guess I'll have to give up. Dad thinks he can not make it. now I am hoping that you girls can come to Hayward

with Elden. maby for Xmas.
That was an awful storm. I read in
the paper of a terrible Thunder & lightning
storm - a plane crashed, killing several
and sending many to the hospital. There
are so many bad things happening now
I hope you girls will be very careful and
take the very best care of yourselves.
I am glad Grandma is feeling fine
and that Aunt Eds is so much better.
I hope she will not overdo.

Well Dad lost again I sure did feel bad
this time I thought he was going to get it
and when he came home from town
he said "well I guess I am the night manager"
(and he seemed so pleased)
Bp Schmidt and others told him he won
so we called up and found out for sure
Austin got about 200 more. He lost 38 in
Dingle he got just what Roosevelt got here -
Clarence won he only lost 11 in Dingle.
Dad & Helen were strong for Dewey.

Edith Ashley is all for Dewey. in fact they
call her "Dewey" in school. She had several
bets on him and lost nine dollars. And
is for Dewey and Thelma is just as strong
for R - Helen said, when we got the letter
from you saying you were in doubt,
maby we should send her a telegram to
vote for Dewey. well I must go and get her
up. write again when you can. I
know you are very busy. I am glad you
had such a nice birthday love mother.

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